

The Committee met at the usual place on the 21<sup>st</sup> of July.

Messrs Young, Hauley and Dwyer were present. Old Young in the Chair.

✓ The subject of the separation of the sexes, so as to teach the males in summer and females in winter, was considered; and the members of the Legislature belonging to the Educational Committee being present, they unanimously advised that they should not be taught separately, but that the present organization of the school should be continued: and thereupon it was

✓ ✓ Resolved. That the year shall be divided into terms as follows: The first term commencing on the second Wednesday of April in each year and continuing twenty weeks; the second term commencing on the third Wednesday of October and continuing twenty one weeks.

The following order was issued by the State Superintendent in behalf of the Committee, and published in the district school Journal.

✓ If the Supervisors of any County shall not meet on or before the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March next, to make a selection of state pupils to supply any vacancies in said county, in that case the County Superintendent shall notify the several town superintendents to assemble within ten days thereafter, at such convenient place as he shall designate, to form a Board; and the said County and town superintendents shall by joint ballot make selections of state pupils to supply any vacancies of such pupils in said County.

The Committee have agreed to



allow to the state pupils during the current term, if females 1.25cts per week, if males 4.00 per week, for their Board, and they believe that they will be able to allow the same sums for the summer term.

Harris Dwyer  
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The Committee met at the usual place on the 10<sup>th</sup> Feb.

Messrs Benton, Hawley, Campbell and Dwight present.

Mr Benton in the Chair.

Some doubt existing in relation to the construction of the Act Establishing the State Normal School, the State Superintendent, Mr Benton, informed the Committee that according to his own construction and that of the Comptroller, the \$9,600 mentioned in the first section, ~~remains~~ can be drawn on at any time during the five years, for the "Establishment and support" of the school; that the \$10,000 annual appropriation must be drawn, if at all, during the year to which it is specifically appropriated; and that the first year of the appropriation began to run from the 1<sup>st</sup> of Oct. 1844, that being the beginning of the fiscal year.

The Secretary was directed to specify in the drafts on the Treasury, whether for the "support" or for the "Establishment and support" of the Normal School.

Resolved. That it is at present inexpedient to hire occasional Lecturers.